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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA ROANOKE DIVISION JULIA STOUDLE BY: DEPUTY C

JEFFREY E. WHITEBEY,) CASE NO. 7:16CV00116
Petitioner,)
V.) FINAL ORDER
COMMONWEALTH OF VA.,) By: Hon. Glen E Conrad) Chief United States District Judge
Respondent.)

In accordance with the accompanying memorandum opinion, it is hereby

ADJUDGED AND ORDERED

that the petition for a writ of habeas corpus, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, is **DISMISSED** without prejudice, and this action is stricken from the active docket of the court.

Further, finding that petitioner has failed to make a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right as required by 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(1), a certificate of appealability is **DENIED**.

ENTER: This 20th day of April, 2016.

Chief United States District Judge